## S. 328

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

February 1 (legislative day, January 30), 1995

Mr. Santorum introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. OPTIONAL EMPLOYER MANDATED TRIP RE-
- 4 **DUCTION.**
- 5 Section 182(d)(1)(B) of the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C.
- 6 7511a(d)(1)(B)) is amended to read as follows:
- 7 "(B)(i) The State may submit a revision at any
- 8 time requiring employers in the area to implement

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programs to reduce work-related vehicle trips and miles traveled by employees.

"(ii) A revision under clause (i) may require that employers in the area increase average passenger occupancy per vehicle in commuting trips between home and the workplace during peak travel periods.

"(iii) A revision under clause (i) shall be developed in accordance with guidance issued by the Administrator under section 108(f). The guidance may specify average vehicle occupancy rates that vary for locations within a nonattainment area (suburban, center city, business district) or among nonattainment areas reflecting occupancy rates and the availability of high occupancy modes.

"(v) A revision under clause (i) may require employers subject to a vehicle occupancy requirement to submit a compliance plan to demonstrate compliance with any requirements imposed under this subparagraph.".

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